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Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 Twelfth Street, SW Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation, WT Docket No. 05-265

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 8, 2006, Michael D. Rosenthal and Holly Henderson of SouthernLINC Wireless, Christine M. Gill and David Rines of McDermott Will & Emery, LLP, and David Salant of the ERS Group met with staff members of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau to discuss the above-referenced proceeding. Also participating in this meeting via telephone were Dr. R. Preston McAfee of the California Institute of Technology and Ashish Nayyar of the ERS Group. Present at this meeting on behalf of the Bureau were Jim Schlichting, David Furth, Walter D. Strack, Paul Murray, John Branscome, Nese Guendelsberger, and Eli Johnson.

We discussed the position of SouthernLINC Wireless that automatic roaming is, above all, an issue of consumer access, and the broad consensus among regional and rural CMRS providers regarding the need for Commission action in this docket to ensure the availability of automatic roaming for US consumers. We discussed SouthernLINC Wireless' filings in this docket and described how SouthernLINC Wireless' proposals provide an economically sound and minimally intrusive means of addressing the issues raised in this proceeding by establishing bright line presumptions that will serve to facilitate commercial negotiation of roaming agreements and encourage efficient investment in wireless infrastructure and services.

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In accordance with the Commission's rules, one copy of this *ex parte* notice is filed electronically for inclusion in the record of the above-referenced proceeding, with copies to the individuals listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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